

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Jaap Herman Van't Hoff Art Unit : 3753  
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Title : PRESSURE CONTROL DEVICE FOR MAINTAINING A CONSTANT  
PREDETERMINED PRESSURE IN A CONTAINER

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO ACTION OF OCTOBER 22, 2007

In response to the Office Action of October 22, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows: